

PATENT APPLICATION

Serial No. 09/753,211 Atty. Docket No. 3520-002268

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit 3627

METHOD OF PROVIDING AN In re Application of

AUTOMATED PACKAGE

Stephen D. Tiley

RECEPTACLE FOR THE RECEIPT,

STORAGE, AND PICKUP OF A

Serial No. 09/753,211

PACKAGE AT A RETAIL SITE AND FOR PROVIDING MARKETING AND

Filed January 2, 2001 OTHER COMMUNICATIONS TO

PACKAGE RECIPIENTS

Examiner Christopher R. Buchanan:

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

April 7, 2003

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicant requests a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. The outstanding Action was mailed on December 5, 2002, and the period set for response was three months, bringing the response to be due on March 5, 2003. Therefore, a one-month extension of time will bring the response due on April 5, 2003. April 7, 2003 is the first business day after Saturday, April 5, 2003.

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A check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed to cover the extension fee. A response to the outstanding Action is filed concurrently herewith.

The Assistant Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. The original and two copies of this Petition are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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